## Amendments to the Specification

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A. In the specification at page 1, after the title but before the BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION, please insert the following paragraph:

## CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is the U.S. National Phase of International Application No. PCT/EP2004/008190, international filing date of July 22, 2004, which was published in the English language as WO 2005/014110 A1 on February 17, 2005, and which claims benefit of the filing date of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/488,799, filed July 22, 2003, the disclosures of all of which are herein incorporated by reference in their entireties.

- **B.** In the specification, after page 31, please insert the Abstract of the Disclosure as page 32, which is appended hereto.
- C. In the specification, please delete the sequence listing as filed, and insert therefor the substitute sequence listing, pages 1-4, that is appended hereto.